

November 7, 2011

Town of Golden Meadow
107 Jervis Drive
Golden Meadow, LA 70357

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Golden Meadow met for their regular scheduled meeting on Monday, November 7, 2011 at 7:00 PM at the Town Hall, 107 Jervis Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357.

Those present were: Mayor Joey Bouziga
Councilman David Adams
Councilman Mike Billiot
Councilman Frank Boura
Councilman Jody Cheramie
Councilman Priscilla Mounic

Those absent were: None

Others attending were Chief Randy Chiasson, Dudley Freeman, Mary Griffin, Ordoyne Griffin, Jr., Cindy Lefort, Lawrence Mounic, John Plaisance, Mitchell Theriot and Edward Verdin.

This meeting was called to order by Mayor Joey Bouziga at 7:00 PM.

Councilman David Adams led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance and Councilman Jody Cheramie led everyone in prayer.

Councilman Priscilla Mounic presented a motion and Councilman Mike Billiot seconded approving the minutes from the Town of Golden Meadow's meeting held on October 17, 2011. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mr. Lindberg Lorraine was not present to make comments to the Council.

Chief Randy Chiasson gave the Council the information on thefts requested by Councilman David Adams at the last meeting.

Councilman Frank Boura informed the Council he met with our Senator and Representative in reference to the turning lane needed at the new Frank's SuperValu site on South Alex Plaisance Blvd. A motion was presented by Councilman Frank Boura and seconded by Councilman David Adams to have a resolution sent to our Representative and Senator stating the safety concerns of this area and expressing the need for this turning lane. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

After a brief discussion a motion was presented by Councilman David Adams and seconded by Councilman Mike Billiot allowing Mr. Ordoyne Griffin, Jr. to install his own sewer treatment plant at 223 Jefferson Street providing Mr. Griffin pay public sewer fees. Mr. Griffin agreed to pay monthly sewer fees. The Council unanimously approved this motion as presented.

Mayor Bouziga presented the clean-up report as follows:

- Kirby Collins – 122 Cochennic Lane – continues to be cleaned
- 131 Lot 1 Dursette Street - cleaned

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Mayor Bouziga presented the dangerous building report as follows:

- Lincoln Martin, Sr. – 115 Mrs. Thomas Pitre Lane – completed

A motion was presented by Councilman Frank Boura and seconded by Councilman David Adams to send a thank you letter to Mr. Lincoln Martin. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Town Engineer John Plaisance gave reports on the following:

Sewer Phase III – met with Martha Cazaubon and discussed right-of-ways

Sewer Phase IV – preliminary layout complete

Sewer Phase V – application due by December 1, 2011

Seawall Phase II – no geotechnical report yet

Seawall Phase III – FEMA looking at this phase

Waterlines at Oakridge Park – will get with Mayor Bouziga

A motion was presented by Councilman Frank Boura and seconded by Councilman Priscilla Mounic authorizing Mayor Bouziga to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with Lafourche Parish Government designed to perform and provide for public services and protection for the citizens, population and businesses of the Town so as to be better prepared in emergency situations. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

A motion to accept Resolution No. 1474 was presented by Councilman David Adams and seconded by Councilman Jody Cheramie. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

A motion was presented by Councilman David Adams and seconded by Councilman Frank Boura allowing Mr. Joe Barbier to sub-divide his property. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Bouziga informed the Council that Town Attorney Mitchell Theriot has researched the vacant property on the south side of the Town of Golden Meadow Multi-Purpose Building and Emergency Center and the Office of Motor Vehicles. Mr. Theriot reported that this property is clear. A motion was presented by Councilman Mike Billiot and seconded by Councilman Frank Boura to have this property appraised in order to determine if it would be feasible for the Town to purchase this property for additional parking. The Council unanimously approved this motion as presented.

Mayor Bouziga told the Council that it was no longer needed to go into executive session.

Mayor Bouziga requested adding Mr. Lonny Lerille to the agenda. A motion was made by Councilman David Adams and seconded by Councilman Mike Billiot allowing Mayor Bouziga add to the agenda. No audience objections were presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Bouziga informed the Council that Lonny Lerille had quit his employment with the Town today. He also stated that Sal Gonzalez has taken over as Town Foreman at this time.

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Mayor Bouziga asked for any audience comments.

Mr. Edward Verdin asked that some bushes coming over onto Malgum Lane be trimmed and that potholes on Malgum Lane be filled with cold mix. Mayor Bouziga stated that he would inform the field workers to take care of these complaints.

There being no further business to discuss a motion to adjourn at 7:23 PM was presented by Councilman Frank Boura and seconded by Councilman Priscilla Mounic. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

MAYOR JOEY BOUZIGA

ATTEST:

CINDY LEFORT, ASST. TOWN CLERK